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In re Application of  
Robert Sullivan, et al.  
Application No. 09/719,053  
Filed: December 7, 2000  
Attorney Docket No. 13045-2US-1

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed November 19, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is GRANTED.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the final Office action mailed April 7, 2003, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three(3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. An Advisory Action was mailed October 27, 2003, indicating that the reply filed July 7, 2003, failed to place the application in conditiona for allowance. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on July 8, 2003.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703)308-5111.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 1600, Art Unit 1644 for processing the Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 filed with the instant petition.

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